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## HARVEY WATTERSON

Killed in New York—Lost Balance  
In Nineteenth Story Office.

Harvey Watterson, son of Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, was instantly killed by a fall from a window of his law office on the nineteenth floor of the Trust Company of America building in New York Wednesday afternoon. It was from one of the side windows overlooking the United States Trust Company building that he fell and he landed on the roof of that building nine stories below. Death must have been instantaneous. After a careful examination Dr. Lelaine pronounced the fatality a case of accidental death.

The theory is that Mr. Watterson's hands slipped as he was endeavoring to close a window in his private office and that he fell forward as a result with such force that he was unable to catch the sides of the windows or the sill.

The law firm occupied a suite of five rooms in the northeast corner of the building.

Mr. Watterson married Miss Alice Burrows, of New York, August 19, 1904, and she survives him.

"I have been somewhat costive, but Doan's Regulents gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—George B. Krause, 306 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.

## CIGAR FACTORIES CLOSE.

Local Option Victories in Ohio  
Held Responsible.

At Maysville, Ky., Nov. 9, the E. A. Robinson Cigar Company and George W. Childs, two of the largest manufacturers in the State, shut down.

They attribute their action to dull trade and late local option victories in Ohio, closing up 1,500 saloons, with which they did a thriving business.

These two employed 100 men, who will be compelled to go elsewhere to seek employment.

## Says It's Fine.

Mr. K. S. Trimble, Oklahoma City, Okla., says: "I gave a friend of mine a sample of your Bourbon Pottery Cure. He said it was fine, and handed me a dollar and told me to have you send him two bottles." Sold by W. S. Lloyd.

## CAPTAIN RAGAN DEAD AT 86

A Resident of Kansas City Since  
1838--Formerly of Mt.  
Sterling.

Captain Stephen C. Ragan, Kansas City pioneer and Civil war veteran, died at his home in that city recently. He was 86 years old. He died at 10 o'clock.

Captain Ragan had much to do with Kansas City's earlier history and development. He was born near Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 22, 1823, and lived here until he was 15 years old. Then he came West with his father, Jacob Ragan, one of the seven men who laid out Kansas City. They lived on the Ragan farm, where Hyde park is now, and when he became old enough the son taught school at Pleasant Hill, Mo.

MARRIED IN 1853.

On July 20, 1853, Captain Ragan married Miss Josephine G. Chiles, a Jackson county girl. When the civil war came he went to Texas and there organized a company of rangers, at Fort Worth, and fought through the war. Of the original 115 that left Fort Worth, only seven returned.

After the war, in 1866, Captain Ragan returned to Jackson county. In 1878 and 1882 he went to the state legislature.

## Pie.

Kentucky Republicans will now walk up to the Pie-counter and be served by the "Big Five": Senator Bradley, Congressmen Langley, Bennett and Edwards and postmaster Fisher, of Paducah.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for 25 years.

## Left \$150,000 to Harvard.

By the terms of settlement of a contest to break the will of Walter F. Baker, the Boston clubman, who died under mysterious circumstances in New Jersey several months ago, Harvard University will receive \$150,000.

The campaign of education in Kentucky will begin Sunday, November 29, and last for one week. Many educators will speak in nearly every county in the state for the uplift of the children of the Commonwealth.

## GRAND JURY

Of Fayette County Makes Report on W. E. Smith Case.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 6, 1903. Editor Mt. Sterling Advocate, Mt. Sterling, Ky.:

Dear Sir:—Much has been written and published to the disadvantage of the State University, on the disappearance of Mr. W. E. Smith some weeks ago. The Grand Jury of Fayette county has had the matter under investigation and upon adjournment made the enclosed report. Assuming that the newspapers of the Commonwealth are interested in knowing the truth, and that they will be glad to place the State University in a proper light before the community, I send you the report referred to, with the request that you give it equal publicity with the compromising rumors which have obtained currency.

Mr. Smith has not yet been discovered. The belief grows stronger daily that he went away voluntarily. Yours very truly,

JAMES K. PATTERSON,

President State University.

We, the Grand Jury of Fayette county, Ky., respectfully report to the court that so far as we could we have investigated those matters with reference to which we were charged, and have from time to time reported to this court incidents where the facts, in our opinion, justified it.

We have spent a great deal of time in the investigation of the disappearance of Willis E. Smith, a student of State University. In the course of our investigation we have also tried to run down all newspaper stories and rumors, but in no case have we found any testimony to substantiate such newspaper statements or reports.

In all cases we have traced such stories and reports back to some person who had merely expressed his opinion of the possible solution of the mystery.

We have been able to find no witness who ever saw Smith on the night of his disappearance, after he left his boarding house. We recommend that the investigation be continued by the detective force of the city and county, and the matter be again submitted to the Grand Jury.

## Cured His Hogs.

J. A. Scott, Avon, Ky., says: "Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy cured some hogs for me that I did not think could possibly be saved." Sold by W. S. Lloyd.

## The American Tobacco Co.

The decision by a vote of four to one of the Judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, sitting at New York, that the American Tobacco Company is in combination in restraint of trade, is the biggest thing yet accomplished by the Government in its fight on corporations that make a practice of violating the Sherman act. The case is still to go to the Supreme Court, there to be decided on the law and the evidence. The hope, however, that the Supreme Court will sustain the decision of the Circuit Court seems not unreasonable.

In no section of the country will the further progress of the case be watched with greater interest than in Kentucky, since with the Supreme Court rests the power to give the release from lawlessness that is no longer hoped for from the State.—Louisville Times.

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## DAY OF THANKS.

Governor Willson Names November 26th as the Day.

Gov. Willson has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation, fixing November 26 as a day for thanks throughout the Commonwealth. It is as follows:

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 10. Thanksgiving proclamation: By the custom of our fathers and in accord with the Thanksgiving proclamation of the President of the United States of America, and in the name of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and all of its people, and for each and every soul in the Commonwealth, the Governor of Kentucky sets the day of prayer and thanksgiving to God on Thursday, November 26, 1903.

No one is so poor nor wretched that he hath not something to thank God for, and no one is so blessed that he doth not need to bow in prayer, and our people in their homes should pray earnestly for relief from woes and wrongs, as they should return earnest thanks for the many blessings granted unto us by Providence.

As partners in the heritage, power and hopes of our whole country, we have great blessings and honors to be thankful for, and as those upon whom God hath showered great bounty of climate, soil, wealth beneath the ground, of noble deeds and great names, of great sacrifices and great gifts, we ought to return fervent thanks, and we ought to give covenant to the Lord to cherish and obey His laws and to keep with each other the covenants of our own laws and customs, to build up this Commonwealth and the business of all its people, to make every family in this Commonwealth rich in the spirit of the Old Kentucky Home, generous, free and unafraid; to welcome its full workers to our State and to win and keep and hold the faithful love, confidence and service of all who are with us now.

Now, therefore, I, Augustus E. Willson, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, have set apart and do hereby fix Thursday, the 26th day of this November, as a day of general thanksgiving and prayer, and ask that in so far as lies all shall cease from toil and business, and in our homes and places of worship truly thank our God for our great blessings and pray His gracious providence and pledge to Him to keep our covenants with our God and each other, of faithful service, of human kindness, earnest work and patient endurance of the tasks of life, that we may deserve a continuation of blessings in the future.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to be affixed.

Done at Frankfort this 10th day of November, in the year of our Lord 1903 and in the 117th year of our Commonwealth.

AUGUSTUS E. WILLSON,  
Governor of Kentucky.  
BEN L. BRUNER,  
Secretary of State.

## CAN'T MAKE MONEY AT 2 CENTS.

Railroads Appear Before Federal Court in Missouri.

At Kansas City on November 9 representatives of eighteen leading railroads operating in Missouri appeared before Federal Judge Smith McPherson in an endeavor to prove their contention that the railroads are unable to operate with a profit under the two-cent passenger rate and the maximum freight laws.

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Druggists Here in Town Say They Can Supply the Ingredients or Make Up the Mixture.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered as the most certain prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless. 17-24

The North Dakota, the first of Uncle Sam's all big gun war vessels was launched at Quincy, Mass.

## EIGHT DEAD AND FIFTEEN INJURED.

Express Train Crashes into Rear of Local.

A Great Northern express crashed into the rear of a New Orleans and Northeastern local Wednesday morning at Littlewoods Station, a fishing and hunting camp on Lake Pontchartrain, twelve miles from New Orleans.

Eight dead and many more injured, some of them fatally, is the record of the wreck, which was attended by unusually gruesome scenes in the fog-bound swamps of the lake shore. To add to the horror of the situation the wreck caught fire and only the heroic work of the surviving passengers prevented the cremation of those piled down in the debris.

Among those killed was C. B. Lowry, who, for many years, was one of the most prominent and popular citizens of Lexington.

## Sued for \$50,000.

Col. Milton Young, the widely known turfman, thoroughbred horse breeder and commander of the State Racing Commission, of Fayette county, was made the defendant in a suit for \$25,000 damages filed by Charles M. McDonald, a member of the Lexington bar and associate of the James E. Hughes printing house, of Lexington in the publication of law books an allegation, that his standing and reputation have been injured in the sum sued for by his remarks made concerning him by Col. Young at the public sale of the latter's hounds.

Mrs. Malvina Farrar also wants \$25,000 on same grounds as that of Attorney McDonald.

## MONEY TALKS

BY having a little money we have been able to make a purchase of a lot of Stetson's and King Quality Men's Shoes and Oxfords that we will sell you at actual manufacturer's cost without any carriage on them

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King Quality \$4.00 Oxfords at . . . . .	2.85

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### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Circuit Judge,  
 A. W. YOUNG,  
 of Rowan County.

For Commonwealth Attorney,  
 W. B. WHITE,  
 of Montgomery County.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce  
 R. J. HUNT

as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce  
 JOHN F. KING

as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Montgomery County Court.

#### FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce  
 W. R. TIFTON

as a candidate for Jailer of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce  
 WILEY F. HENRY

as a candidate for Assessor of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce  
 FRED M. J. GOODWIN

as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### FOR MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce  
 W. D. ("COLONEL") HENRY

of the Aaron's Run precinct, as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth View Aaron's Run district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Social pleasures and business engagements should not come between the Democrats of Kentucky and their duty in selecting precinct committeemen on next Saturday at 2 o'clock, standard time.

Every man should be personally interested, and should be present, if he can conscientiously support either candidate. It sometimes happens that while a candidate is personally acceptable, yet his alignment with other candidates renders support of him inadvisable.

What does your preference of a candidate amount to if you are absent when the count is made? If you stay away, and the best man is turned down, have you any ground for complaint? Did you try for the best?

Fines in courts do not atone for sin again God or man.

### ARE WE GUILTYLESS?

Enroute to Frenchburg Circuit Court last week the writer passed the Phelps home where a few months ago the tragedy occurred which resulted in the loss of two lives, when young Phelps after shooting his brother-in-law, Woodard, committed suicide even while his sister clung to him. A woman with the Woodard infant in her arms stood in the door as we passed. This recalled the tragedy which occurred on a Sunday afternoon, after the two men had come on Sunday morning to Jeffersonville, Montgomery county, and bought whiskey illegally sold. The writer thought not only of the deep sorrow that had befallen those homes, but of the shame and reproach that comes to our own county for tolerating the continuance of that saloon and especially for the sale of whiskey on the Lord's day.

To what extent God will hold the officary and citizens of Montgomery (including Jeffersonville) responsible for the crime we can not tell. We deeply regret that the sale and killing occurred. For years we have plead in private, pulpit and press with the people of Montgomery to walk in the way that the Christ has pointed out, and also to suppress the sale of intoxicants, the instigator of crimes.

### SELECTION OF COMMITTEE MEN.

On next Saturday at 2 o'clock in each precinct of the city an election will be an election by the Democrats of a committeeman from each precinct. The men thus elected will form the County Committee, which, for the next four years, will direct the affairs of the Democratic party. In politics a business man should be fair, honest, clean. We hope that this election will result in the selection of men who will satisfactorily and honorably conduct the business committed to them.

In reputation and character a party cannot easily, if at all, rise above the reputation and character of the men who formulate its principles and execute its work. Commending what in the past has been praiseworthy and regretting that which has been suspicious or vicious in our State, we trust that a quickened conscience and a high conception of civic righteousness will characterize the ruling bodies—the powers that be.

Remember that on Saturday Democratic Precinct Committeemen are to be elected. If these men are elected, honestly, fairness, justice will prevail. If counterfeits get in, there is no telling what all will happen. Frauds, graft, reproach, defeat, will follow.

Abuse, verbal or by act, seldom converts a man. Let there be appeals to the better element of a man's make up, if you want to change him. Publicity of facts—however unpleasant the duty and privilege—is not to be construed as hostility or hatred.

The imposing of a fine for a lawless act, or the possession of a license, does not change the moral quality of the act or of the business, nor does it give peace to the conscience of him who has done his neighbor wrong.

Precident-elect Taft will convene a special session of Congress soon after March 4.

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### GAMBLERS LECTURED.

Judge William McD. Shaw, Circuit Judge of Kentucky county, determined that gambling must be stopped in the county, and makes the gamblers indicted by the grand jury promise to stop. These men had followed a custom that is not unusual of agreeing with the Commonwealth's Attorney that they would make a plea of guilty, receive the smallest fine possible and then continue in business until the time of the meeting of the next grand jury. When the cases were called the Judge demonstrated that he was not to be fooled with in his efforts to break up gambling in the county. Calling the men before him he thus addressed the men:

"Mr. Funk, Mr. Osterholt, Mr. Kinkart and Mr. Shafer, you are indicted for permitting gambling on the premises in your occupation and under your control. As I understand it, the Commonwealth's Attorney has agreed with you, subject to the consent of the Court, that on your plea of guilty a fine of \$250 shall be imposed. Ordinarily, whenever there is an agreement between the defendants and the attorney for the Commonwealth judgment is entered without any comment by the Court, but I feel that in these cases I want something else done. The object of the law is not only to punish a man for violating the law, but to prevent further violations of the law. These pleas of guilty and the imposition of fines will amount to absolutely nothing if gambling is to be continued. It would only result in your quitting business and permitting some one else to take it up and run it as before, thus forming an endless chain of gambling. You and those in your employ must quit this kind of business. If after these pleas this gambling continues on your premises, and the Commonwealth's Attorney is furnished any evidence of its continuance, the Court will call a special grand jury to indict, and when indictments are returned, no pleas will be allowed to be entered, but the cases will be tried by a jury and you will have to take your chances. It is only under these circumstances that I am going to accept the pleas of guilty in these cases. If you are willing to quit business and not allow it on your premises these pleas will be entered."

The Judge then made the four men stand before him, and, addressing them one by one by name, extracted a promise from them that they would quit for good. The Judge then assessed the fines of \$250 each.

Reference is made to "a custom that is not unusual of agreeing with the Commonwealth Attorney, etc." The object of such an agreement is usually not the enforcement of law, the suppression of the offense. Whether or not the attorney thinks he is doing his duty, the public will be apt to conclude that he has "an eye to business," while with the other eye he winks at the lawlessness, and in that measure loses the confidence of men who regard him as the executor of law. If the act referred to is illegal it should be broken up, suppressed, and not tolerated by the recurring imposition of a fine which is nothing more or less than an incentive to continue in business in partnership with the civil officer

who renits the most important part of penalty.

The men who pay the fine of \$250 to \$500 and continue the business, know that it is a profitable investment, the cheapest way to carry on their scheme to rob and delude the public.

The attorney who permits it from season to season will be side-tracked sooner or later. We do not know who is the attorney in Kentucky county and do not care to know, but he evidently feels like something had happened. The Judge will be elevated in the estimation of men who regard the civil authorities as the guardians of public morals, peace and safety.

Saloons in towns with electric lights and police protection are bad enough and too bad, but what protection from the drunken rabble has a country population like Jeffersonville? The voters of that precinct can answer in a lawful, honorable way and will answer on December 19. Every man should show where he stands. Remember the Phelps-Woodard tragedy in Menefee and the discharge of pistols near to and through houses of worship, and that drunkards come from moderate drinkers, and that moderate drinkers were once innocent and pure children tempted, led captive by the open saloon or the example of a father who was void of wisdom and discretion. Help to save the boys and saloon keepers. Christ died for such. Hell and heaven are the goals.

For the return of Taylor and Finley a Republican Governor of Indiana refused to honor a requisition from a Democratic Kentucky Governor. Now that Kentucky has a Republican and Indiana a Democrat in office the question arises: Will Gov. Willson, of Kentucky, ask for their return or will he pardon them?

He has stated in his parlor of Powers and Howard that he did not believe a conspiracy existed to murder Mr. Goebel.

Fred Emerson Brooks, the poet, orator and humorist, will be in our city next week in the second entertainment of the series given by Prof. Cord and Hopper. If life has been monotonous, if you desire merriment and mental elevation, if you are disposed to say this is a dull town, hear Brooks.

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Real Estate.

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### BRYAN SAYS

The Democracy Will Yet come In to Its Own.

Declaring the Democratic party cannot die and has accomplished more out of office the last twelve years than the Republican party has in office, W. J. Bryan bids his supporters not despair. In the Commoneer he speaks of the election results and discusses the future. He says:

"The election of 1908 is over and the returns disclose a signal victory for our opponents, but the principles for which our party stands, the policies for which our party contends, these are not dead.

"Does any one believe the American people will permanently permit secrecy as to campaign contribution? Does any one believe the American people will permanently permit the will of the voters to be thwarted as it is now by the election of Senators through Legislatures? Does any one believe the trusts will be permitted permanently to exploit the masses? Does any one believe the consumers will permanently permit the tariff to be written by the beneficiaries of that tariff? Does any one believe the public will permanently tolerate an estrangement between labor and capital? Does any one believe 15,000,000 of depositors will forever permit their savings to be jeopardized as at present? Does any one believe the extravagance of government will go on forever unchecked? Does any one believe our Republic will permanently consent to a colonial policy with its humiliations and its financial burdens?

"During the last twelve years the Democratic party has accomplished more out of office than the Republicans have in office, and this is a sufficient reward for those who fight for the righteous cause. It would have been pleasant to have been able to reward worthy Democrats with official positions. They are looking for good government, and they labor unselfishly for the promotion of good government.

"As for myself, let me only worry about my future. The holding of office is a mere incident of life of those who are devoted to reform. The reform is the essential thing. If one can advance reforms by holding office, then holding of office is justifiable; if one can best advance reforms as a private citizen, then holding office is undesirable. "The world owes me nothing. I have been abundantly compensated for what I have been able to do. My life will not be long enough to repay the people for their support and for the confidence they have expressed.

"With an abiding faith in the triumph of truth and unflinching confidence in the righteousness of our cause, I speak this word of encouragement to those who call themselves friends. I shall keep step with them and march on. If we are right, as I believe we are, it will vindicate us; if we contribute, as I believe we are contributing, to a cause that is founded on justice our efforts will weigh in final victory."

Mt. Sterling's greatest bargain store is ready to meet your every want.

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### McClure's Drug Store Burned.

On Monday night, November 9, the drug store and office of Dr. W. B. McClure, at Sherburne, Ky., were burned. Mulliken and his blood hounds from Lexington were at once summoned. The dogs traced to the home of Harry Morgan, through the residence and located him in the Stix barn. He was arrested and taken to the office of Dr. H. H. Morgan, his brother. Great excitement arose. Thos. G. Daugherty was severely cut by Harry Morgan. Morgan was taken to jail at Flemingsburg. It is said that a duplicate warning of one recently received by McClure was found in Morgan's pocket.

### NOVEMBER COURT.

About 2500 Cattle on the Market—Quality Medium.

Trade Brisk and Prices 25 to 50 Cents Higher.

### MULE MARKET REMAINS FIRM

About 2500 cattle on the market. The quality was medium. Trade was brisk and prices from 25 to 50c higher. 1000 lb. steers sold readily at \$4.25, with lighter weights at 4c. Yearlings at 4c. Heifers at 3 to 3 1/2c. Cows at 2 to 3c. Bulls at 3c. Good crowd at the pens and they bought quick everything that was at all desirable.

### SALES.

Luther Murphy sold 4 800 lb. cows to Whaley & Co., of Paris, at \$2.40.

B. F. Cecil sold 5 900 lb. steers to Thos. Adams, of Fayette, at 4c. W. T. Laythrum sold 41 1000 lb. steers to Howard Hampton, of Clark, at \$4.20.

Wm. Bridgeforth sold 17 950 lb. steers to Lucien Bridgeforth at 4c.

Mrs. E. D. Marshal sold 20 1000 lb. steers to W. A. Kendall, of Cynthiana, at \$3.70.

Arch Gunn sold 40 1000 lb. steers to Buckner Bros., of Bourbon, at \$4.25.

Abbott Bros. sold 25 600 lb. yearlings to Younger Norris, of Madison, at \$3.75.

W. O. Brock, of Clark, bought 15 600 lb. yearlings of J. L. Faulkner at \$3.25.

Sam Laythrum sold 16 800 lb. steers to Lucien Bridgeforth at \$3.75.

Mike Wilson sold 8 850 lb. steers to L. D. Gatewood at 4c.

Haney & Parks, of Harrison, bought a bunch of 725 lb. steers of B. F. Cecil at \$3.25.

Wm. Clayton sold 3 900 lb. steers to John McLane at \$3.75.

Ben Murphy sold 14 600 lb. steers to Wm. Byrd at \$3.75.

Hamilton sold 3 1000 lb. steers to E. R. Little at \$4.25.

R. C. Gatewood bought 12 825 lb. steers of Green & Thomson at 4c.

Jas. Wilson sold 9 950 lb. cows to Jas. McDonald at 3c.

W. E. Little, of Clark, bought 15 750 lb. steers of W. H. Tapp at \$3.75.

A. S. Hart sold 10 1000 lb. steers to J. E. Gray, of Paris, at \$4.25.

J. W. Chennault sold 18 700 lb. yearlings to W. J. Ratliff, of Bath, at 4c.

### HORSES AND MULES.

The mule market was about as usual and prices were firm. Big heavy mules selling at \$200 and prices ranging from \$125 to \$175 according to size and weight. A good many horses selling. Medium horses at \$110 to \$125. Good ones at \$150 to \$175. No fine ones on the market.

With prices far the lowest, we are prepared to meet your every want.

The Louisville Store.

### Senator By Popular Vote.

Reversing the custom of 80 odd years, Missouri nominated its United States Senator by direct vote of the people, in addition to electing State and minor officers and Representatives in Congress. The last General Assembly provided for the selection of the caucus nominee for United States Senator and instructed the members of the General Assembly to vote for such nominee.

The several candidates for the Senatorship stated publicly that they expect to abide by the result of the vote.

### Attention, Men.

For a suit of clothes in all the late up-to-date styles for fall and winter at surprisingly low prices call at

The Louisville Store.

### The Lesson from Missouri.

It is a mistake to assert that Gov. Hughes was the only man elected in a local election on a straight out moral issue.

The election of Attorney General Herbert S. Hadley as Governor of Missouri was in some ways a more remarkable triumph than that of Gov. Hughes.

Mr. Hadley is the Republican Attorney General of a nominally Democratic State. He was chosen to this position on the Roosevelt tidal wave four years ago. Although the Governor of the State, Mr. Folk, was a Democrat, Mr. Hadley declined to play partisan politics and backed Mr. Folk in every reform measure that official undertook.

Mr. Hadley was particularly active in aiding Mr. Folk in the enforcement of the State law requiring the saloons to keep closed on Sunday in St. Louis, Kansas City and elsewhere and in Gov. Folk's successful crusade against the race-track gamblers. When nominated for Governor Mr. Hadley announced that he would follow closely in the steps of Gov. Folk and would continue his policies.

The Democratic party on the other hand repudiated the policies of Mr. Folk, and at a fraudulent primary nominated Congressman Cowherd, a pronounced reactionary, for Governor.

The fight for Mr. Hadley was considered almost hopeless as rural Missouri has always been strong for Bryan, and it was feared that St. Louis would pile up a large majority against the Republican nominee because of his attitude toward the Sunday law.

The fear was not realized. Mr. Hadley broke even with Mr. Cowherd in rural Missouri. He carried St. Louis by 12,000, and he is elected Governor by a majority of about 17,000 votes. In this race not only did the voters see the issue clearly and elect Mr. Hadley, but because of Mr. Hadley's strength the electoral vote of the State goes to Taft.

The Kansas City Star says: Hadley's victory likes no detail of a popular triumph. The combination of the Special Interests against him was complete. Brewery domination, machine rule, saloon lawbreaking, race-track gambling, these threats to a good government and public decency were all depending on the defeat of Hadley and all their forces were in desperate activity against him.

Mr. Sterling's greatest bargain store is ready to meet your every want.

The Louisville Store.

### Tobacco Sales at Lexington.

The season's second tobacco sales took place Friday; the highest price of the year was received for a small amount.

A small quantity from the Van Brasher farm, in this county about miles from Lexington sold at a price of \$29 per hundred, and it is said that this is the highest price ever received for burley tobacco on the local breaks. This was purchased by the Blue Grass Tobacco Company of this city and will be used in the manufacture of the Blue Ribbon twist.

A lot of 590 pounds from Madison county, was sold to the American Tobacco Company at \$25.50. Below are given the total sales for the three warehouses:

25,000 pounds, highest \$29; lowest \$14.  
42,000 pounds; highest \$25.50; lowest \$10.50.  
10,000 pounds, average \$18; total \$77,000 pounds.

Don't fail to get our prices before buying elsewhere.

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### Shot in Court.

Frances Heney, prosecutor of Abe Ruef, the noted San Francisco grafter and corruptionist, was shot Friday during the progress of trial by Morris Haas, a Jewish saloon-keeper who was rejected as a juror because he was an ex-convict. Heney will recover. Haas later suicided in jail.

### BATH COUNTY ITEMS.

(Bath County World.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Milne have returned from a visit of two weeks to the letter's brother, J. A. Withers, in Louisville.

A most pleasant social event was the entertainment of fifty guests at progressive dinner by Mrs. A. G. Ratliff Thursday afternoon, November 5.

The marriage of Miss Elbert Hardin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hardin, of Moorefield, and Mr. Joseph Milton Chaney, son of Mr. John Chaney, of this place, was solemnized at the Christian church, Wednesday afternoon, November 11.

Tuesday, November 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Stone (nee Miss Mary Sharp) a son—William Ralls.

E. H. Koch has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Christian church, to take effect at the close of the year.

The editor wants a turkey for Thanksgiving. If you can furnish one, let us know.

Howard Thompson purchased R. L. Sharp's soda fountain and soft drinks establishment and is conducting the business.

At the Democratic primary election held in this county on Saturday, November 7, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the county offices, a total of 1,886 votes were cast, an increase of 132 over the Democratic vote polled in this county in the Presidential election the preceding Tuesday.

In this magisterial district J. F. Hurst, for Magistrate, received 113 and M. L. Thomas 127 votes. In the Bethel magisterial district J. W. Clinkbeard received 146 and T. J. Rount 137 votes.

All the latest fall and winter styles in ladies' and gents' wearing apparel at exceedingly low prices. The Louisville Store.

### Committee of Judicial District Fixes Date.

The Twenty-fifth judicial district Democratic committee fixed December 31 as the day of holding a Democratic primary to select a candidate for Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney.

The district is composed of Madison, Clark, Jessamine and Powell counties. Judge James M. Benton and Attorney Ben A. Crutcher, of Winchester incumbents, have announced for re-election and so far has no opposition.

All kinds shelled nuts, etc., for black cake at Greenwade's.

### Ten-Year-Old Boy Shot And Killed The Woman Who Discharged Him.

Solomon Reilly, a negro boy, ten years old, was convicted and given a life sentence for the murder of Mrs. Walter Torrence, near Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Torrence, for whom the boy had been working, discharged him, and the following day he secured a shotgun, returned to her home and shot Mrs. Torrence, killing her instantly. The boy stated that he did the shooting "because she did not have any right to fire me."

### Attention, Men.

For a suit of clothes in all the late up-to-date styles for fall and winter at surprisingly low prices call at

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### Still They Go.

On Monday three more counties in Ohio voted dry by majorities from over 1,000 to 1,900. Saloons closed in each are:

Muskingum.....82  
Tuscarawas.....92  
Hancock.....34

Don't forget the fine Big Sandy Sorghum and New Orleans molasses at Greenwade's.

### Stolen.

Early Sunday morning a mail sack, filled of its contents, with letters strewn on the ground, was found near L. & N. track, one mile from Winchester. The sack left the postoffice on Thursday at 7 p. m.

### BAR FROM NOMINATION.

### Use of Money or Whisky in Franklin Primary Means Disqualification.

If any candidate in the Democratic primary held yesterday in Franklin county can show that his successful opponent used money or whisky to further his nomination, the County Committee will refuse to make out a certificate to the winner. It has been determined that this primary shall be conducted on a square and fair basis, in accordance with the rules for the primary, which forbid any use of money or whisky, and the County Committee is determined to enforce this rule strictly. A majority of the members of the committee will not hold on after their present terms expire, so that they will be free to act.

### ACTOR WAS DOWED WITH GRIEF.

But Not Altogether Because of the Death of His Wife.

A certain well-known actor was curiously enough—very much attached to his wife. She died after a lingering illness, and the poor old Theodor was all broken up about it. One night a friend went to the actor's dressing room and found him in tears. He was pining up, and having a hard time of it.

"Excuse me, old chap," he muttered, brokenly. "This is weakness, of course, but I was just thinking of my wife. I'll never get this make-up on right—the tears spoil it as fast as I put it on. You see, my wife was my soul-mate at my side always, my pathetic. I can't get used to her absence."

"Why, when she knew she was dying, she said to me, 'I want you to put your photograph in the coffin with me. Promise! I promised, of course. That's what I was thinking of when you came in. I had no photograph left, at the time, but I had some taken on purpose. Oh, dear, oh dear!'"

"They didn't do me justice!"

### Human Fireflies.

Parvores of Chinese incense sticks may rejoice in the fact which has been reported on Riverside drive, says the New York Press. It is the fashion for the young people who throng along the park wall and saunter up and down from the subway station to Grant's tomb to carry a handful of burning joss sticks. These they wave about and forth, the glowing end rivaling the fairy lanterns of the fires, which sparkle among the trees. Groups of merry girls thus illumine the night, and the soft summer air is perfumed with this rich oriental odor. The fact started, of course, out of a crusade against the mosquitoes, which at times frequent the park. But now the mosquito is not considered. The girls carry the joss sticks because the sparkling light and the purescence of the scene and because it has become a fad.

### Dining Late and Long.

In St. Albans, Vt., early day society often dined late and long, and the late Lord Chancellors often told him of one occasion when he dined at a friend's villa near Pompeii and the meal did not begin until eight o'clock. When they at last rose from the table and went to their rooms, Lord Chancellors found open his window and saw the haymakers coming into the field. "I wonder," he thought, "what hour they begin work," and on consulting his watch he found it was 8:30. The haymakers were returning to work from their breakfast—Tit bits.

### Puzzle of Domicile.

W. E. Murchison of Johannesburg enjoys the unique distinction of having lived in four different countries and yet moved his residence only once. That seems a puzzle, but it is quite simple. He was born and reared in Cumberland, and when Harrow was created out of Cumberland he found himself in Harnett. Afterward he moved to Moore county, and when the county of Lee was formed, a few months ago he found that he was residing in Lee—Fayetteville Observer.

The Punishment Fits the Crime. A new conviction of parades and professional jokers had been brought before His Majesty's Majesty to receive sentence.

"And what shall their punishment be, sire?" asked the Hades executioner.

"To the caldron with them," laughed Satan. "Thus may it be put on record that to the very last they 'bubbled over with humor!'"—Lippincott's.

### Easy Way Out.

"That house I have taken from you," said the dissatisfied tenant, "is horribly draughty. When I am sitting in the middle of the room my hat blows all over my head. Can't you do something to the windows?"

"Don't you think, sir," replied the house agent, "it would be a lot easier and cheaper for you to get your hat cut?"

### Jonson's Tribute to Religion.

The strength of empire is in religion.—Ben Jonson.

### WILL NOT BE CALLED GHANDMA.

Writer Explains, Somewhat Venomously, Why Women Dislike Word.

"The word 'ghandma' is dying out," said a lexicographer, or maker of dictionaries, passing in his labor on the letter G. "By 2000, at this rate, so such word will exist."

"Oh, what will take its place?" "Oh, 'hancie' and 'hancie.' 'dearest'—some such rubbish. You see," explained the lexicographer, "they think they have learned to stave off old age. A woman of 50 because she has dyed hair, a painted face, a figure here distended and there cramped, thinks that she looks young."

As a matter of fact, she looks neither fish, flesh nor fowl. No man can bear the sight of her. But she thinks she looks young, and, therefore, she won't be called 'ghandma.' Youth is over for good, you know—beyond peradventure we are done with the long long dreams of youth when a little one is 'flapping 'ghandma' or 'ghandma' at one's knee. So this old fool trims her grandchildren to call her 'hancie' or 'hancie,' and getting into her wadded street gown, she tries to rheumatically toe to the beauty parlor for a face-lifting."—New York Herald.

### LET THE CLOUDS BLOW OVER.

"Absence Cure" Works Wonders in Cases of Conjugal Jags.

When symptoms set in of an orn break of conjugal love—which may happen sometimes in the best regulated families—it is a capital plan for husband or wife to go off on a solitary holiday for a few days, to let the clouds blow over.

If two persons start jangling and getting on one another's nerves, an "absence cure" works wonders. Both have time for reflection and repentance. So if you and the husband are quarreling one another like wild mustard, sit down, go and stop a week with friends.

Don't discuss your grievances with the spouse; calm down, forget, and stay away till you can return in love and kindness.

Short separations taken at the right moment, would save thousands of hot tempered young couples from drifting to the ranks of the "unhappily married."

### Pennsylvania Nature Story.

Six weeks ago a workman in the Pennsylvania repair shops in Allegheny left two dozen eggs in an abandoned box in the roundhouse. Seven pipes go through the box. All over the eggs a heavy layer of coal soot settled.

Three weeks ago 14 sooty chicks arrived. It was found that the soot pipes kept the temperature of the box at 105 degrees. A second hatch of 30 chicks appeared, sooty but healthy. Another hatch is being prepared.

Born among the clanging noises of the factory, the chicks so did die covered in soot.—Philadelphia Record.

### Going Back to the Sailor.

In San Francisco the campaign against the sailor's application of the plaque, is a subject of universal discussion. A conversation reported by a writer in the Call shows that the topic has come up even in the children.

"What they bunting up all rats for?" "Aw, don't yer know nothing? Rats has the plaque, an' 'cause yer see one could better look out, 'cause yer'll get it, too, maybe."

"If you just see a rat do you get it?" "Aw, don't yer know nothing? Rats has the plaque, an' 'cause yer see one could better look out, 'cause yer'll get it, too, maybe."

### City Girls' Funny Bick.

"I've heard a lot of stories about city people making funny breaks in the country," said a saucy friend of Lexington, who was interfering with his work the other day, "but here's one that really happens, and I think it's the limit. A New York girl was out at our place once and it was the first time she'd ever been away from the white lights, well, she wanted to go out and gather about at this time of the year I hated to expose her ignorance, so I merely said: 'But can you climb trees?' " "Merry!" she exclaimed, "haven't you any elevators?"

"Banana" Comparatively Modern. "Banana" is the only Japanese word that most Americans know. According to a contributor to Notes and Queries, it is only about 15 or 16 years old. Its birthplace was the imperial court of Tokyo. It was invented by Dr. Shigeno, one of the highest authorities on Japanese literature, in response to a request for an equivalent to the English "hurry."

As a brief way of expressing congratulations "banana" has traveled all over the world.

### He Liked Shakespeare.

"Who is this fellow Shakespeare?" asked a streeturchin, as he came out of the palace entrance to a chamberlain. "I don't know who he is," replied the boy's companion, "but he's on his job, all right. Let Mellet's 'bout de finest actor I ever see."

And thus was the immortal bard of Avon paid a sincere if uncharitably complimentary.

### Never Tested.

"Have you a tank in the building?" Inquired the inspector from the insurance office.

"We haven't," admitted the janitor.

"What's the capacity?"

"Fath, an' Oi never had money enough to find out!"—Bohemian Magazine.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

#### STOOPS.

Miss Oda Hicks was a visitor at Owingsville last week.

Our town has been overrun with renters the past few days.

Bert Saunders, of Little Rock, will move here this week.

Ealy Roberson is visiting relatives at Salt Lick and Farmers.

Grover Sears and wife will return December 1st from Illinois.

The turkey crop brought several hundred dollars to the grovers in this section.

Deputy Moores, of Paris, is securing many members for Judy Camp M. W. of A.

Frank Daniel went this week on a prospecting tour through Bourbon and Fayette counties.

The contest for Democratic committee man from Harps precinct is going to be as hot as July weather.

Minor Bowen, of Leece, has rented a farm from Bridges Bros. and will take possession December 1st.

Geo. Rudder, of Grassy Lick, was here last week setting up the business of his brother, S. T. Rudder.

Pete Gooden, son Ray and Tom Spencer, of near Owingsville, visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

For boots, shoes, hats, caps and all kinds of clothing and dress goods call at

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#### Turkeys.

At Austerlitz, Bourbon county, forty flocks of turkeys, averaging fifty to the flock, were purchased of the Clay "pooling" interest of C. B. Gilman of Lexington for fifteen and one-half cents per pound, five weight. The turkeys average two dollars a head. This was the largest sale of turkeys ever made by the pool farmed by the Clay interests.

Turkeys in our city are being bought at 13 to 13 1/2, five weight.

#### Prices Fixed For Burley Tobacco.

The Executive Committee of the Burley Tobacco Society on Wednesday decided to price the different grades and to put them on sale November 24. Large orders are on file which are expected to consume the balance of the 1906 crop and a large part of the 1907 crop. Request is made that all samples be sent in as soon as possible that proper grading can at once be done.

#### Finest Big Sandy sorghum at Greenwade's.

Beyond question at the top of all ready for service clothing. Hirsch, Wickiewicz & Co. Exclusive with us.

#### Punch & Graves.

Prof. W. R. Smith, of Lexington, is announced for the postmastership to succeed T. L. Walker.

Heinz Knott the best. At Greenwade's.

Lost.—Black silk belt with gilt buckle. Return to this office and get reward.

Chase & Sanborn's coffee, Fernhill canned goods at Roberts & King's.

#### Pillow Case Shower.

The "Ben Bissell Club" of the Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church, Lexington, will give a "Pillow Case Shower" for the benefit of the School at Jackson Friday evening.

Vauersall can furnish you with anything for your Thanksgiving dinner.

For turkeys, chickens, oysters, celery, cranberries and cake ingredients, call on Roberts & King's.

#### First Snow.

The first snow fell on Friday night, but it soon melted. Since then the weather has been clear and cold.

### The Ex-President Problem.

"What to do with our ex-presidents" has been a problem for more than 120 years. Mr. Roosevelt's approaching retirement brings the matter once more to the front. In his particular case it looks as if the question is to be solved by a combination of himself and outside influences. He is going to Africa to hunt big game; he is going to be an editor; he may become United States senator from New York; he may become a college president.

The Brooklyn Eagle says:

"The Eagle is still of the opinion that our ex-presidents should receive for life out of the National Treasury such a pension as should place them beyond the need of labor, and as should morally influence them from labor in any private capacity. Congress could well provide for the future living of Roosevelt but Congress will probably not do so. Congress has been restrained from doing so by want of intelligence or of interest or of magnanimity in the past. The time calls for a larger spirit and a finer liberality, and the present Congress in its closing session could well set aside for ex-presidents a sum to make them the wards of the nation."

"It is a shame that an ex-President must die, to enable his family, through his widow, to receive the \$5,000 allotted to her for her maintenance. That is a pitiful sum. To say that it is more than the average income of the American families begs the question that in the nature of things, there will be at any time a few ex-presidents and that the incumbent of the highest office in the gift of the people should receive, on retiring from office, an annual sum out of the public Treasury commensurate with the dignity the people have bestowed upon him."

At the present future life of an ex-President is wholly left to chance. By reason of his eminence he should lead a life of dignity and ease. If a man without means he can not always do that. The right sort of occupation may not fall his way. To make both ends meet he may be forced into an honorable enough work, but not a dignified enough work. It is highly fitted for an ex-President to set in the Senate after his term of President, but it is conceivable that an ex-President might find such an office somewhat awkward after having had the higher one. In our own time the instances of two ex-presidents stand out. Benjamin Harrison returned to the practice of law, giving up to a great extent his career as a statesman. Grover Cleveland lived in retirement at Princeton as a professor emeritus of the university, and in his retirement he lived modestly, for he was not rich. Toward the close of his life he accepted employment as a trustee for one of the powerful insurance companies of New York, which, honorable and distinguished though it was, was hardly commensurate with the position Mr. Cleveland had won in the world of theoretical politics.

The pension proposition seems to be the wisest and fairest of all.—Courier-Journal.

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#### Noted Rulers Dead.

On Sunday afternoon Tse Hsi An, Dowager Empress of China, died. She has directed the government since 1861 without successful interference and since 1881 without protest.

Kuang Hsu, the Emperor, died on Saturday. An edict issued on Sunday morning placed upon the throne Pui Yi, only 3 years old, son of Prince Chun.

With prices far the lowest, we are prepared to meet your every want.

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Best New Orleans molasses at Greenwade's.



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## AN ORDINANCE

To Provide for the Sale of a Franchise or Privilege to Construct, Establish, Maintain and Operate a Telephone System in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Be It Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky:

First. That a franchise for a period of twenty (20) years from the date of sale hereunder, to erect, a wire by purchase, franchise or otherwise, and to maintain and operate a telephone system with all its necessary appurtenances and equipments in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, to be sold on the 24th day of December, 1908, at the front door of the City Hall, in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. to the highest and best bidder at public outcry, and after due advertisement as herein provided.

Second. That said sale shall be conducted by the Mayor of the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, and the sale shall be advertised by publishing this Ordinance for three weeks before the sale in one of the weekly papers published in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. The Mayor shall accept the highest and best bid made at said sale and report the same to the City Council at its next regular meeting, or meeting called for the purpose of considering the matter of this sale, which bid shall not be for less than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars. Two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars shall be put in the Mayor's hands in the form of cash or a certified check, before any bid shall be considered or received. The money shall be returned to all bidders respectively whose bids are not accepted, as soon as the same are rejected. The said City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids so reported and to direct the further advertisement of this franchise for sale as it may deem advisable until a bid is finally accepted and approved by said Council. When any bid reported by the Mayor is accepted and approved by said Council for the purpose of this franchise hereunder, the sale shall be deemed finally closed and this Ordinance shall then become and be the contract by and between the city of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, and the purchaser whose bid is so accepted by said Council, and the said purchaser and his assigns shall then hold, own and enjoy the said franchise unto him or his assigns for the said term of twenty years from the date of sale, together with the following privileges:

Provided he executes the bond hereinafter required by section Seven.

Third. The purchaser whose bid is so accepted shall be hereafter referred to as the purchaser and he or his assigns shall have the right hereunder to erect, acquire, construct, install, operate and maintain, during the life of this franchise, a telephone exchange and system to carry on and do a general telephone, toll and exchange business in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, and shall have the right to erect, maintain and operate the necessary and proper poles, guy-wires, manholes, wires, cables, conduits, guys, braces, and all other necessary and proper apparatus or equipments appurtenant to or used in connection with said telephone system, on, over, along, across, in and under, all the streets, alleys, highways, walks, parks, bridges, squares, and other public places in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, and to make such additions and extensions thereto from time to time as may be necessary or most convenient; it is provided, however, that all such work when done, and when any change is made in any work that has been done, it shall be under the direction and supervision of the Com-

mittee of said Council, as to the fixing of the location of any of such parts of said telephone system; and provided further that the City Council may, upon reasonable notice to the owner or operator, order any reasonable change or modification of such work or the removal of any pole or the painting of same, and if such owner or operator fail or refuse to perform the conditions of said notice within a reasonable time, the city may have it done at the expense of said owner or operator.

Fourth. That the owner or operator of said franchise shall, within six months from the date of said sale, begin in good faith to construct a new "FULL METALLIC" telephone system; and the apparatus, instruments, switch-boards, appliances and equipments of said system, shall be of the best, most modern and improved multiple switch-board type, and all switch-boards shall be maintained during the period and existence of this franchise with the best practicable modern equipments, and the telephone service shall be first-class in all respects and continuous and unlimited for twenty-four (24) hours in each day, during the life of said franchise, except interruptions from unavoidable causes; and shall have said telephone system above provided for installed and in operation within eighteen (18) months from the date of sale. Should the owner or operator of said franchise fail to furnish during the period of said franchise first-class telephone service or such as is required under the provisions of this franchise, the City Council may, by appropriate ordinance, take such action as may be necessary to have it done.

Fifth. That the rates to be charged by the owner or operator of such system shall not exceed one and twenty-five one-hundredths (\$1.25) dollars per month for the use of each subscriber in a residence in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky; and for each subscriber in a business house (which includes such business houses as mercantile establishments, laundries, livey stables, physicians' offices, lawyers' offices, and all other business or professional offices or places) not exceeding two and twenty-five one-hundredths (\$2.25) dollars per month. The above rates shall not be effective until the said "FULL METALLIC" system shall be completed. The above rates shall apply until the owner or operator under said franchise shall have secured seven hundred regular bona fide phone or instruments in operation for which charge is made regularly, and country as well as city phone shall be included in making up this count, at which time the above rates may be increased twenty-five (25) cents per month on each phone, but shall in no instance be increased above one dollar (\$1.50) and fifty cents and two dollars (\$2.50) and fifty cents per month for the places as above provided.

If this franchise is acquired by any company operating a telephone system in this city, then such company, so acquiring this franchise, may continue to charge the same rates as it has been charging for telephone service; until the completion of the full metallic system, as herein provided for, but this shall not be construed to in any way extend the time for the completion of said FULL METALLIC SYSTEM, or in any way alter, change or affect any of the terms or provisions of this franchise.

Sixth. That in the collection of rentals for the use of its instruments, the owner or operator of said franchise shall have the right to require three (3) months to be paid in advance when the instrument is first put in, and after the expiration of said three months they shall only have the right to require the payment for the rental or use of its instruments one month at a time in advance.

Seventh. That as security for the performance of the conditions and stipulations herein contained the purchaser of this franchise herein provided for shall execute

with sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the City Council, a bond payable to the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, in the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars to indemnify said city against any loss or damage which may accrue to said city on account of any negligence or wrongful act or omission of such owner or operator.

And should the said city be sued or any judgments be recovered against the said city for any negligence of the owner or operator of this franchise, either separately or as a joint tortfeasor with such owner or operator, then all such judgments and all the costs, fees and expenses of every kind of defending such suit or suits shall be assumed and paid by such owner or operator, and if not promptly paid when due, or if the city is liable therefor or is required to pay the same or any part thereof, then the said city may recover on this bond all such loss or damage or liability incurred in full, and such bond shall fully and completely indemnify and save harmless the said City from any litigation, loss, judgment, damage, costs, fees or expenses arising or resulting from any negligence of such owner or operator.

Said bond shall be renewed at the expiration of every five years during the period for which this said franchise is granted, with sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the City Council, and each bond thus executed shall be in full force and effect until the bond in renewal thereof shall be approved by the City Council, which may require said bond to be renewed or renewed at any time when it deems the sureties or surety therein insufficient, or when such bond shall be impaired in amount by reason of judgments, claims or otherwise.

Eighth. The Fire Department of the city on the occasion of any fire may at such times use the poles of the owner of this franchise for the support of its ladders and may attach the same or other like appliances thereto, but the city shall be liable for any damage done by its Fire Department or members thereof in the exercise of this privilege. And the City may place on the poles of the owner of this franchise the necessary wires and other equipments for a police and fire signal system, but the same shall not be done so as to interfere with the service or business of the owner or operator of this franchise, or his or its use and enjoyment of said poles, and the same shall be done under the supervision of the owner or operator of this franchise.

Ninth. The purchaser or his assigns shall install and maintain free of charge three individual circuit long distance telephones for the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, at such places as the City Council may direct and one at the white and colored public schools in the city, for which no rental charges shall be made, but which shall not include free toll service beyond the limits of Montgomery county. And shall install and maintain free of charge a call bell system for the members of the Fire Department of said city not to exceed twelve bells in all, the purchaser hereof, or the owner or operator hereunder is not to be held liable for any delay or defect in the operation of this system.

Tenth. This shall not be construed to be an exclusive franchise in any way.

Eleventh. That the owner or operator of said franchise shall connect the lines of its telephone system so far as practicable with any and all lines outside of the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky., in the State of Kentucky on reasonable terms and without discrimination, provided that the owners of such outside lines desiring and applying for such connection, as aforesaid, shall agree, as a condition of such connection, to receive and transmit on like terms all messages in which the owner or operator of the franchise herein granted may be interested. In case there shall be any disagreement between the

owner and the operator of the franchise herein provided for and the owner of such outside telephone line, or lines, as to the terms and conditions upon which such connections shall be made, as to hinder or delay same, then such differences and disagreements shall be promptly submitted to an arbitration committee to be composed of three free-holders and voters of the State of Kentucky, one of whom shall be named by the owner of said franchise, one by the owner of such outside line or lines and the third by the two arbitrators thus selected; and a decision of a majority of said committee as to terms and conditions upon which said connection ought to be made shall be final and conclusive upon all such parties.

Twelfth. This franchise and contract is assignable by the purchaser, but the person, firm or corporation receiving same, if assigned, shall be bound by all its terms and conditions, and be considered and held as if the same had been originally purchased by such assignee, provided, however, that this franchise is not to be assigned to any one who is not responsible and not until such assignee has executed an acceptable bond as required by Section Seven herein.

Thirteenth. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and advertisement as required by law.

C. W. HARRIS, Mayor.

H. M. RINGO, City Clerk.  
ABOVE ORDINANCE adopted at the regular meeting of the City Council of Mt. Sterling, Ky., held in the Council Chambers of said City Nov. 6th, 1908.

## TOO WEAK TO WORK.

Suffered From Stomach Trouble and General Debility. Mrs. Minor Was Weak, Sick, Discouraged.

## RESTORED TO HEALTH BY VINOL.

"Last January I was all run down in health and so weak that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I was very much discouraged with my condition, as I was receiving no benefit from the medicine I had taken. Finally on the advice of my druggist I decided to try the cod liver and iron preparation, Vinol. In a short time I felt better, and after taking five bottles my health was fully restored. I have suffered from stomach trouble for years, but since taking Vinol this trouble has entirely disappeared, and I now eat better, sleep better and am better than I have been for a long time. Vinol certainly worked wonders in my case, and I heartily recommend it to any one in need of such a medicine."—Mrs. Harvey L. Minor, Canal Dover, Ohio.

With such evidence of the power of Vinol to restore strength and vitality to all weak and sickly persons, do you wonder that we do not fear to say Try Vinol? If it fails to benefit we will return your money. That's your guarantee.—Wm. S. Lloyd, Druggist, Mt. Sterling.

## Congratulates the King.

President Roosevelt sent a characteristic message of congratulation and good wishes to Edward VII., King of Great Britain and Ireland, who celebrates his sixty-seventh anniversary. The message was cabled to London.

On the fiftieth anniversary of the birth of President Roosevelt, October 28, King Edward sent a cablegram, conveying an expression of his good wishes for the President and the American people.

## Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. Urath Ann Gorrell, deceased, are notified to file same at once properly proven with County Clerk Jno. F. King, O. Goodpastor, Adm'r. Oct. 28, '08.

## PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN.

First Election Will Be Held in All Precincts in Kentucky Next Saturday.

On next Saturday, November 21, committeemen from every precinct in the State of Kentucky will be chosen by the Democratic voters of their respective precincts and a complete reorganization by counties made. At the last Democratic State Convention, held in Lexington last June, new rules regarding the election of committeemen were adopted and the elections will be held under these rules, thus giving every voter a voice in the matter. The State Central Committee, having the good of the party at heart, desire that all shall know the method by which the committeemen must be elected. The rules pertaining to the election are given below:

"In the voting precincts of all counties there shall be elected by the Democratic voters in such precincts a committee of one member, who shall constitute the precinct committeeman of such precinct. In all State, district, legislative or county mass conventions the proceeding and election of committeemen shall be null and void if the chairman of said mass convention refuses to give orders and have a count of the vote of those Democrats present, if said request for tellers is made—and the refusal of said chairman to give tellers and a count, the chairman so refusing shall be removed from his office by the State Central Committeeman upon proper proof so made to him.

"Said precinct committeeman shall be elected on the third Saturday in November, 1908, and shall be residents of their respective precincts. The Democrats of this State shall meet at their various voting precincts at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. and proceed to the election of a committeeman to serve until his successor shall be elected, by order of a succeeding State Convention. The retiring precinct committeemen shall call their respective precinct mass-meetings to order and shall preside until the mass-meeting shall elect a chairman. Where there is a vacancy in the office of precinct committeeman the chairman of the county committee shall designate some qualified Democrat living in the precinct to call said meeting to order and preside until the election of a chairman.

"On Monday following such election such precinct committeemen shall meet at their respective county seats."

## Farm For Sale.

A good farm of 250 acres two miles east of North Middletown, bounded on south by Mt. Sterling and North Middletown turnpike, on north by North Middletown and Prescott pike. It has a tenant house and barn for 10 acres tobacco. Possession given March 1, 1909. Apply to Mrs. Ann Arnold, L. H. Arnold, 16-41 Mt. Sterling, Ky.

22,000,000 Pounds of Burley Raised.

Whether the price offered for 1908 tobacco will affect the action of the Executive Committee in fixing the price for the 1907 pooled crop is a question, but it is thought the schedule will be a shade higher than the price of the 1906 pooled crop, probably about two cents. It is said that statistics show that about 22,000,000 pounds of Burley has been raised this year. It is now asserted that the 1907 pooled crop will be placed on sale regardless of the unsold portion of the 1906 crop.

## Primary in Madison.

On last Saturday in the Democratic primary in Madison county all candidates agreed to use no money or whiskey.

D. W. Vanarsdale, representative of Hagan Gas Engine Co., Winchester, committed suicide in Georgia.

## It Costs Nothing

To find out for a certainty whether or not your heart is affected. One person in four has a weak heart. It may be you. If so, you should know it now, and save serious consequences. If you have short breath, fluttering, palpitation, hungry spells, hot flushes; if you cannot lie on left side; if you have fainting or smothering spells, pain around heart, in side and arms, your heart is weak, and perhaps diseased. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure will relieve you. Try a bottle, and see how quickly your condition will improve.

"About a year ago I wrote to the Miles Medical Co., asking advice, as I was suffering with heart trouble, and had been for two years. I had pain in my heart, back and side, and had not been able to draw a deep breath for two years. Any little exertion would cause palpitation, and I could not lie on my left side without suffering. They advised me to try Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and I did with the result that I am in better health than I have been for years. I have gained 14 pounds since I commenced taking it. I took about thirteen bottles of the two medicines, and haven't been bothered with my heart since."—MRS. LILLIE THOMAS, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the bottle will benefit. If it fails he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

## STATE RANGERS.

Texas Governor Will Enforce Liqueur Law.

Governor Campbell, of Texas, announces that the State liquor license law shall be rigidly enforced in every city and hamlet in the State. He says he will call out the State Rangers if necessary to enforce the law. The Governor says the saloons must remain closed on Sundays and from midnight till 5 o'clock in the morning week days. Local authorities have disregarded the governor's instructions. He has given orders to send out the rangers and to begin with Bexar county.

## DIRE DISTRESS

It is Near at Hand to Hundreds of Mt. Sterling Readers.

Don't neglect an aching back. Backache is the kidneys cry for help. Neglect hurrying to their aid. Means that urinary troubles follow quickly. Dire distress, diabetes, Bright's disease. Profit by a Mt. Sterling citizen's experience.

Mrs. Hazard Trimble, living at 4 Jamison St., Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was a very sick woman and was unable to stand upon my feet or do any house work. I had pains in my left side and the action of the kidney secretions was not regular and at times they were so scanty that there was an almost complete suppression. I began to see signs of dropsy in my limbs and hands and my condition was becoming worse when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at F. C. Duerson's drug store. I have been greatly benefited and feel like a different woman. These results have proven to me their effectiveness as a kidney remedy, and I am pleased to give them my highest endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The Supreme Court of the United States decides that the State of Kentucky had a right to forbid the co-education of whites and blacks at Berea College.

## Farm For Sale.

I have for sale a farm of 20 acres, on Plum Lick pike, 4 miles from North Middletown. Two-story 6-room residence, abundant water, good fence; 60 acres in grass, small tobacco barn. Cheapest farm I know of. Call on or write me at North Middletown Route No. 1.

17-11 J. W. Douglas.